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# **Annual Report**

of Municipal Officers  
of the Town of  
**Winter Harbor, Maine**



**For the Year Ending  
the First Monday in  
February, 1945**

FIFTIETH  
ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS  
OF  
WINTER HARBOR  
MAINE  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
THE FIRST MONDAY IN FEBRUARY, 1945



THE BAR HARBOR TIMES PUBLISHING COMPANY

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# TOWN OFFICERS

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## SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Philip A. Whitehouse      Morton L. Torrey      Gilbert E. Gerrish

## TOWN CLERK

Albert R. Hallowell

## COLLECTOR AND TREASURER

B. T. Bickford

## AUDITOR

A. F. Sawyer

## FIRE CHIEF

Harry C. Morrison

## SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

D. A. Morrison, Chairman

Albert R. Hallowell

Ralph B. Gerrish

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

R. H. Haskins (Union Towns)

## CONSTABLE

Philip E. Torrey

## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Irving Willey

## BOARD OF HEALTH

Dr. H. A. Holt (Health Officer)

Mrs. H. A. Holt

E. N. Bickford

## ASSESSORS' REPORT

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### VALUATION AND TAX RATE FOR YEAR 1944

Real Estate, resident .....	\$201,955.00	
Personal Estate, resident .....	15,165.00	
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Total .....		\$217,120.00
Real Estate, non-resident .....	\$231,070.00	
Personal Estate, non-resident .....	27,160.00	
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Total .....		\$258,230.00
Total Valuation, April 1, 1944 .....	\$475,350.00	
Total Valuation, April 1, 1943 .....	476,284.00	
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Decrease in Valuation .....		\$ 934.00
Rate of Taxation, \$50.00 per \$1,000.00		
Tax on each Poll, \$3.00		
Number of Polls Taxed, 90		
Number of Polls Not Taxed, 30		



**APPROPRIATIONS****1944**

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**General Government:**

Administration .....	\$ 1,300.00
Town Buildings .....	500.00

**Protection:**

Fire Department .....	300.00
Hydrant Rental .....	650.00
Street Lights .....	1,150.00
Insurance .....	300.00
Civilian Defense .....	400.00

**Health and Sanitation:**

Public Health Nurse .....	400.00
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**Highways and Bridges:**

Town Roads .....	300.00
Third Class Maintenance .....	116.00
Sidewalks .....	400.00
Cutting Bushes .....	150.00
Patrol .....	325.00
Snow Removal .....	600.00

**Charities:**

Town Poor .....	1,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children .....	214.00

**Education:**

Common Schools .....	2,900.00
High School .....	3,000.00
Text-books and Supplies .....	600.00
School Repairs .....	600.00
High School Library .....	75.00
High School Laboratory .....	75.00
Superintendent of Schools .....	375.00

Library .....	200.00
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Cemeteries .....	300.00
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## TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR

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Boy Scout Building .....	25.00	
Advertising .....	50.00	
Interest .....	500.00	
Town Debt .....	500.00	
		\$ 17,305.00

## ASSESSMENTS

State Tax .....	\$ 4,169.17	
County Tax .....	1,647.00	
Overlay .....	916.33	
		6,732.50
		\$ 24,037.50

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## ASSETS

Balance in Treasury, February 5, 1945 ....	\$ 1,032.80	
Due from:		
Uncollected Taxes, 1944 .....	117.25	
Uncollected Taxes Previous to 1944 ..	306.56	
Tax Liens Previous to 1944 .....	193.65	
Tax Deeds Previous to 1944 .....	46.51	
State Highway Department, snow account	612.00	
State Highway Commission, special resolve	367.40	
Property Acquired by Town for Taxes ....	869.11	
Union Trust Company, bank stock .....	300.00	
Trust Funds:		
John and Della Hancock .....	247.08	
Lena M. Smallidge .....	201.33	
		\$ 4,293.69



Net Town Debt, February 5, 1945 .....	6,766.72
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	\$ 11,060.41

## LIABILITIES

First National Bank, notes .....	\$ 3,100.00
Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co., notes ....	1,500.00
W. H. Sargent, notes .....	4,000.00
Minnie I. Sargent, note .....	1,000.00
John and Della Hancock, trust fund .....	247.08
Victoria Rand, cemetery fund .....	12.00
Treasurer of State, balance of tax .....	1,000.00
Lena M. Smallidge, trust fund .....	201.33
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	\$ 11,060.41

## GENERAL GOVERNMENT

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CREDIT

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,300.00
Morton L. Torrey, Hamilton property .....	1.80
Reynold Bickford, sewer permit .....	20.00
Carl Myrick, sewer permit .....	20.00
Treasurer of State, bank stock tax .....	119.55
Treasurer of State, dog tax refund .....	5.32
Lakeman and Davis, weir permit .....	5.00
Alton B. Gerrish, weir permit .....	5.00
1943 Tax Collections .....	12.00
Tax Lien Collections .....	60.39
Excise Taxes .....	427.51
Town of Steuben .....	25.00
Union Trust Co., stock premium .....	10.00
Balance in Treasury, February 7, 1944 .....	1,145.54
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	\$ 3,157.11



## TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR

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## DEBIT

## Salaries:

P. A. Whitehouse, selectman .....	\$ 300.00
M. L. Torrey, selectman .....	175.00
G. E. Gerrish, selectman .....	175.00
Albert Hallowell, town clerk .....	50.00
B. T. Bickford, collector and treasurer .....	300.00
Irving Willey, sealer of weights .....	15.00
Philip E. Torrey, constable .....	15.00
H. A. Holt, health officer .....	15.00
Mrs. H. A. Holt, board of health .....	10.00
E. N. Bickford, board of health .....	10.00
D. A. Morrison, school board .....	25.00
R. B. Gerrish, school board .....	25.00
A. R. Hallowell, school board .....	25.00
H. C. Morrison .....	50.00

## Expenses:

H. A. Holt .....	\$ 22.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	15.75
Blaisdell & Blaisdell .....	8.00
Constance Mackay .....	10.00
R. B. Gerrish .....	11.00
Maine Municipal Association .....	30.00
Sawyer & Sawyer, auditors .....	71.00
W. & L. E. Gurley .....	.78
Loring, Short & Harmon .....	61.02
Bar Harbor Times Publishing Co. ....	110.00
B. T. Bickford .....	81.21
P. A. Whitehouse .....	46.65
M. L. Torrey .....	20.30
G. E. Gerrish .....	7.50
P. E. Torrey .....	45.00
A. R. Hallowell .....	25.00
Marks Printing House .....	5.60
Clark, the Printer .....	17.49
Hancock County Publishing Co. ....	6.76
George Bickford .....	25.00

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Beulah H. Blance .....	20.00	
W. D. Lumley .....	.75	
A. M. Gerrish .....	5.20	
Ballot Clerks:		
Beulah H. Blance .....	5.00	
Edith Bickford .....	5.00	
B. T. Bickford .....	15.00	
H. H. Hanson .....	15.00	
M. L. Torrey .....	15.00	
P. A. Whitehouse .....	15.00	
G. E. Gerrish .....	15.00	
A. R. Hallowell .....	10.00	
Constance Mackay .....	5.00	
Lee O. Leighton .....	5.00	
Elinor C. Blance .....	5.00	
Balance .....	1,211.10	
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		\$ 3,157.11

## TEMPORARY LOANS

## CREDIT

Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Company .....	\$ 2,000.00	
First National Bank .....	2,000.00	
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		\$ 4,000.00

## DEBIT

Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Company .....	\$ 2,000.00	
First National Bank .....	2,000.00	
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		\$ 4,000.00

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

## CREDIT

Appropriation .....	\$ 375.00	
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		\$ 375.00



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DEBIT

R. H. Haskins, Superintendent .....	\$	355.42	
Unexpended .....		19.58	
			\$ 375.00

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CREDIT

Appropriation .....	\$	200.00	
Treasury of State, stipend .....		20.00	
			\$ 220.00

DEBIT

Mrs. George C. Blance, Treasurer .....	\$	220.00	
			\$ 220.00

TOWN BUILDINGS

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	500.00	
Charles E. Sargent, rent .....		45.00	
Overdraft .....		24.92	
			\$ 569.92

DR.

License for Town Hall:		
American Society of Composers .....	\$	30.00
Water, Heat and Lights:		
Bangor Hydro-Electric .....		15.52
Henry Sargent .....		42.50
Grindstone Neck Water Co. ....		15.00
Repairs:		
R. B. Dunning & Co. ....		4.15
Freddie Bickford .....		74.72
Geo. C. Blance .....		25.00



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P. A. Whitehouse .....	49.28	
G. E. Gerrish .....	9.00	
Frelon Nash .....	1.50	
C. E. Sargent .....	44.00	
Frank Wakefield .....	63.25	
Lee O. Leighton .....	12.75	
C. H. Brinton .....	3.75	
Robert Snyder .....	1.00	
F. S. Young .....	1.00	
Reynold Bickford .....	2.50	
Janitor Service:		
Charles E. Sargent .....	175.00	
		\$ 569.92

FIRE DEPARTMENT

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 300.00	
Town of Gouldsboro .....	550.00	
George Jacobs, refund .....	7.50	
Overdraft .....	1,249.77	
		\$ 2,107.27

DR.

Heat, Light and Telephone:		
Bangor Hydro-Electric .....	\$ 34.38	
H. G. Tucker .....	85.35	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	44.13	
Supplies:		
Freddie Bickford .....	2.00	
Haynes & Chalmers Co., pumps .....	111.00	
H. C. Morrison .....	77.85	
P. A. Whitehouse .....	4.00	
Forest Fires Payrolls:		
Summer Harbor .....	1,087.40	
Iron Bound .....	526.96	

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Town Dump .....	70.20	
Town of Gouldsboro .....	64.00	
		\$ 2,107.27

STREET LIGHTS

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,150.00	
		\$ 1,150.00

DR.

Bangor Hydro-Electric .....	\$ 1,107.50	
Unexpended .....	42.50	
		\$ 1,150.00

INSURANCE

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 300.00	
Overdrawn .....	8.65	
		\$ 308.65

DR.

Rubie J. Tracy, buildings .....	\$ 277.55	
C. E. Marcyes, fire truck .....	23.00	
C. E. Marcyes, buildings .....	8.10	
		\$ 308.65

HYDRANT RENTAL

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 650.00	
		\$ 650.00

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## DR.

Grindstone Neck Water Company .....	\$ 650.00	
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		\$ 650.00

## CIVILIAN DEFENSE

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 400.00	
Sale of Salvage .....	5.00	
Town of Gouldsboro, 1943 .....	58.80	
Maxine Dawson, stove .....	25.00	
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		\$ 488.80

## DR.

Bangor Hydro-Electric .....	\$ 5.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	.40	
P. A. Whitehouse, rent .....	200.00	
Unexpended .....	283.40	
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		\$ 488.80

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 400.00	
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		\$ 400.00

## DR.

Flanders Bay Nursing Association .....	\$ 400.00	
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		\$ 400.00



HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 300.00
Overdraft .....	10.66

\$ 310.66

DR.

Alvin Whitten .....	\$ 52.02
Llewellyn Merchant .....	22.85
Ivory Whalen .....	22.85
Freddie Bickford .....	4.14
P. A. Whitehouse .....	34.32
Rilla Grover .....	4.37
George Cowperthwaite .....	12.40
Federal Tool & Steel Corp. ....	24.17
Ellsworth Motor Mart .....	35.08
State Highway Commission .....	98.46

\$ 310.66

THIRD CLASS ROADS

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 116.00
Overdraft .....	113.28

\$ 229.28

DR.

Alvin Whitten .....	\$ 97.84
Llewellyn Merchant .....	42.16
George Cowperthwaite .....	44.64
Ivory D. Whalen .....	44.64

\$ 229.28

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## HIGHWAY PATROL

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	325.00
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	\$	325.00
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## DR.

State Highway Commission .....	\$	317.40
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Unexpended .....		7.60
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	\$	325.00
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## SPECIAL RESOLVE

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	0.00
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Overdraft .....		367.40
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*Due from State .....	\$	367.40
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## DR.

Alvin Whitten .....	\$	169.00
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Llewellyn Merchant .....		66.96
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Percy Merchant .....		66.96
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Ivory Whalen .....		64.48
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	\$	367.40
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## SNOW REMOVAL

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	600.00
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Treasurer of State .....		604.00
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Overdraft .....		20.69
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	\$	1,224.69
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## DR.

Alvin Whitten .....	\$	156.46
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Llewellyn Merchant .....		66.72
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Percy Merchant .....	33.39	
Ivory Whalen .....	39.12	
Arthur Rand .....	2.50	
Lester Merchant .....	2.50	
H. C. Morrison .....	850.00	
W. H. Shurtleff .....	74.00	
		\$ 1,224.69

SIDEWALKS

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 400.00	
		\$ 400.00

DR.

Percy Merchant .....	\$ 2.00	
Unexpended .....	398.00	
		\$ 400.00

CUTTING BUSHES

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 150.00	
		\$ 150.00

DR.

Alvin Whitten .....	\$ 21.60	
Llewellyn Merchant .....	9.92	
Ivory D. Whalen .....	9.92	
George Cowperthwaite .....	7.44	
Unexpended .....	101.12	
		\$ 150.00



CHARITIES

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,000.00	
		\$ 1,000.00

DR.

Jessie Bickford .....	\$ 34.75	
Dorothy Lord .....	384.40	
Lizzie Rolfe .....	434.00	
Unexpended .....	146.85	
		\$ 1,000.00

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 214.00	
Overdraft .....	30.00	
		\$ 244.00

DR.

Treasurer of State, Edith Whitney .....	\$ 244.00	
		\$ 244.00

## CEMETERIES

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	300.00	
Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co., Victoria			
Rand, trust fund .....		12.00	
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	\$		312.00

## DR.

Winter Harbor Cemetery Association .....	\$	300.00	
Unexpended .....		12.00	
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	\$		312.00

## ADVERTISING

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	50.00	
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	\$		50.00

## DR.

State of Maine Publicity Bureau .....	\$	50.00	
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	\$		50.00

## BOY SCOUT SCHOOL

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$	25.00	
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	\$		25.00

## DR.

Rubie J. Tracy, insurance .....	\$	14.00	
Unexpended .....		11.00	
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	\$		25.00

## TOWN DEBT

## CR.

Appropriation .....\$ 500.00

\$ 500.00

## DR.

First National Bank, Fire House note .....\$ 500.00

\$ 500.00

## INTEREST

## CR.

Appropriation .....\$ 500.00

Union Trust Co., stock dividend ..... 6.00

Interest on Taxes ..... 11.83

\$ 517.83

## DR.

## Temporary Loans:

First National Bank .....\$ 40.00

Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co. .... 40.00

## Notes:

First National Bank ..... 166.00

Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co. .... 60.00

W. H. Sargent ..... 160.00

## Bank Charges:

B. T. Bickford, Treasurer ..... .49

Unexpended ..... 51.34

\$ 517.83

## STATE TAX

## CR.

Appropriation .....\$ 4,169.17

\$ 4,169.17



## TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR

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## DR.

Treasurer of State, 1944 Tax .....	\$ 3,169.17
Due the State .....	1,000.00

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\$ 4,169.17

## COUNTY TAX

## CR.

Appropriation .....	\$ 1,647.00
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\$ 1,647.00

## DR.

Iva W. Clark, Treasurer, Hancock Co. ....	\$ 1,647.00
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\$ 1,647.00

## OVERLAY AND SUPPLEMENTAL TAXES

## CR.

Overlay .....	\$ 916.33
Supplemental Taxes .....	9.00

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\$ 925.33

## DR.

Abatements .....	\$ 879.50
Unexpended .....	45.83

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\$ 925.33

## TRUST FUNDS

## CR.

Balance, February 7, 1944 .....	\$ 40.08
Lena Smallidge, trust fund .....	5.00
Della Hancock, trust fund .....	5.00

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\$ 50.08

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## DR.

Harriet Smallidge .....	\$	10.00	
Balance due Hancock Trust Fund .....		40.08	
			\$ 50.08

## TOWN WHARF

## CR.

Mrs. Merton Mitchell .....	\$	200.00	
Overdraft .....		573.06	
			\$ 773.06

## DR.

## Labor:

F. P. Harrington .....	\$	100.50
Lee O. Leighton .....		71.10
Shirley Jones .....		69.10
J. Wallace .....		63.70
Henry Sargent .....		5.00
F. S. Young .....		9.00
Lester Merchant .....		12.00
Carleton Tracy .....		1.50
R. B. Gerrish .....		3.75
Ira Coombs .....		1.50
Richard Coombs .....		1.00
Philip Torrey .....		1.88
Douglas Torrey .....		1.00
Freddie Bickford, Jr. ....		.75
A. R. Hallowell .....		1.50
Collector of Internal Revenue .....		10.10

## Materials:

L. A. Gray .....	25.00
H. C. Morrison .....	50.00
Mary P. Gerrish .....	32.00



Moore Brothers .....	3.15	
George F. Dyer .....	264.05	
B. T. Bickford .....	16.60	
P. A. Whitehouse .....	25.48	
M. L. Torrey .....	3.40	
		\$ 773.06

## SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

	Receipts	Expendi- tures	Over- drawn	Unex- pended
General Government	\$3,157.11	\$1,946.01		\$1,211.10
Temporary Loans	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Supt. of Schools	375.00	355.42		19.58
Public Library	220.00	220.00		
Town Buildings	545.00	569.92	\$ 24.92	
Town Wharf	200.00	773.06	573.06	
Fire Department	857.50	2,107.27	1,249.77	
Street Lights	1,150.00	1,107.50		42.50
Insurance	300.00	308.65	8.65	
Hydrant Rental	650.00	650.00		
Civilian Defense	488.80	205.40		283.40
Public Health Nurse	400.00	400.00		
Highways and Bridges	300.00	310.66	10.66	
Third Class Roads	116.00	229.28	113.28	
Highway Patrol	325.00	317.40		7.60
Snow Removal	1,204.00	1,224.69	20.69	
Sidewalks	400.00	2.00		398.00
Cutting Bushes	150.00	48.88		101.12
Special Resolve	000.00	367.40	367.40	
Charities	1,000.00	853.15		146.85
Aid to Dep. Children	214.00	244.00	30.00	
Cemeteries	312.00	300.00		12.00



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Advertising	50.00	50.00		
Boy Scout School	25.00	14.00		11.00
School Department	9,177.94	9,070.26		107.68
School Repairs	600.00	529.60		70.40
Notes	500.00	500.00		
Interest	517.83	466.49		51.34
State Tax	4,169.17	3,169.17		1,000.00
County Tax	1,647.00	1,647.00		
Trust Funds	50.08	10.00		40.08
Overlay and Supple- mental	925.33	879.50		45.83
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	\$34,026.76	\$32,876.71	\$2,398.43	\$3,548.48
Uncollected Taxes, 1944				\$ 117.25
Balance in Treasury, February 5, 1945				\$1,032.80

TREASURER'S REPORT

1944

Cash in Treasury, February 7, 1944		\$ 1,239.92
Receipts for the Year:		
Taxes:		
1944 Taxes	\$ 23,929.25	
1943 Taxes	48.13	
1942 Taxes	25.05	
1944 Excise Taxes	295.04	
1945 Excise Taxes	132.47	
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		24,429.94
Administration:		
Bank Stock Tax	\$ 119.55	
Salvage Sale	3.00	
Morton L. Torrey	1.80	

## TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR

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Reynold Bickford, sewer permit .....	20.00
Carl Myrick, sewer permit .....	20.00
Mrs. Maxine Dawson, stove .....	25.00
Sale of junk .....	2.00
Lakeman and Davis, weir permit .....	5.00
Alton B. Gerrish, weir permit .....	5.00
Treasurer of State, dog tax refund ....	5.32

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206.67

## Town Buildings:

Town Hall, C. E. Sargent, janitor re- ceipts .....	\$ 45.00
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45.00

## Town Landing:

Mrs. Merton Mitchell, wharfage .....	200.00
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200.00

## Fire Department:

Town of Gouldsboro, 1943 .....	\$ 300.00
Town of Gouldsboro, 1944 .....	250.00
George Jacobs, rebate, fire payroll ....	7.50

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557.50

## Welfare Department:

Town of Steuben .....	\$ 25.00
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25.00

## Education:

Town of Gouldsboro, tuition, high school .....	\$ 1,180.00
Treasurer of State, tuition, common school .....	161.25
Treasurer of State, conveyance .....	75.00



Treasurer of State, school fund .....	1,052.50	
Collector's rebate .....	4.89	
	<hr/>	2,473.64
Highways and Bridges:		
Highway Commission, snow removal ..\$	604.00	
	<hr/>	604.00
Library:		
Treasurer of State, stipend .....	\$ 20.00	
	<hr/>	20.00
Civilian Defense:		
Town of Gouldsboro, 1943 .....	\$ 58.80	
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Interest:		
On Taxes .....	\$ 11.04	
Bank Stock Taxes .....	6.00	
Trust Funds .....	22.00	
	<hr/>	39.04
Bank Stock .....	\$ 10.00	
	<hr/>	10.00
Temporary Loans:		
First National Bank .....	\$ 2,000.00	
Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co. ....	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	4,000.00
Total Receipts .....		<hr/> \$ 32,669.59



## TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR

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Total Available .....	\$ 33,909.51
Paid Selectmen's Warrants .....	32,876.71
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Cash on hand, February 5, 1945 .....	\$ 1,032.80

Respectfully submitted,

B. T. BICKFORD.

Treasurer

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1944

Commitments .....	\$ 24,037.50	
Supplementary Taxes .....	9.00	
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		\$ 24,046.50
Cash to Treasurer .....	\$ 23,051.25	
Abatements .....	878.00	
Uncollected .....	117.25	
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		\$ 24,046.50

## Uncollected Taxes, 1944:

## Resident:

Leonard Anthony, lien on real estate .....	\$ 9.25
Allen Arey, lien on real estate ....	23.00
Heirs of C. Herbert Bickford, lien on real estate .....	1.00
Heirs of Lewis Coombs, lien on real estate .....	8.25
Milford Coombs, lien on real es- tate .....	8.75

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Herbert E. Gerrish, lien on real estate .....	16.50	
Wilbur Parritt .....	8.50	
Gerrish, Torrey Co. ....	2.00	
George Merchant .....	3.00	
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		\$ 80.25

## Non-resident:

Isabel Clark .....	\$ 10.00	
Mrs. Dudley Gilroy, Jr., France	22.50	
Heirs of Hinckley .....	3.00	
Mrs. George Sawyer .....	1.50	
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		37.00
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		\$ 117.25

Respectfully submitted,

B. T. BICKFORD,

Collector



## SCHOOL REPORT

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To the Superintending School Committee  
and the Citizens of Winter Harbor:

Once again it is my privilege to report on the state of affairs of your school program, and once again I can say that your schools continue to improve. This progress is particularly encouraging during these days of world-wide conflict and a wartime economy that reaches into every home. These results have not been brought about haphazardly but rather reflect a far sighted policy adopted by the members of your school committee and willingly endorsed by you, the citizens and taxpayers, of raising adequate funds to meet the needs of the moment. This determination to keep pace with the times, to move forward instead of maintaining the status quo seems to be a part of a tradition that is growing with the years in Winter Harbor.

Many other rural schools, due to the exigencies of war, have materially reduced their efficiency or been forced to close altogether. Not so with Winter Harbor. Your schools continue to be well equipped with the best tools of the teaching profession; your teachers are not only well qualified to do the job at hand but compare very favorably with teachers in much larger communities where salary schedules are a great deal higher; your school buildings are in excellent repair, although the grammar school building is somewhat outdated and should be replaced some day. The courses of study and the daily programs at the high school and the grammar schools have been approved by supervisors from the State Department of Education. As a matter of fact, Winter Harbor High School has been rated by the Department of Education as one of the best high schools of its type in the State. The grammar school was highly commended for its equipment and the excellence of its reading library which provides for the reading for pleasure interests of all the pupils from Grade One through and including Grade Eight.

In spite of our material gains and our ability to measure up to certain standards imposed by outside authority as well as our own



it is far less encouraging to attempt an evaluation of results as regards the pupil. Today, as always, there are pupils in every school who apparently do not measure up to their capacities. Grammar school boys and girls as a rule are more alert, ambitious and co-operative to work with. High school pupils are more apt to develop lazy work habits and other undesirable social traits. Because of the human element and the many other factors that enter into the change from a youth into an adult other agencies besides the school must share in its responsibility. One of these is the home. Parents should follow closely the progress of their child in his school work. Low rank, as a rule, indicates insufficient effort. Too many times a pupil will say that he hasn't any home work to do when in reality he prefers to accept a low grade rather than extend himself to meet the requirements of his class. The standards of Winter Harbor have not been lowered nor are they going to be. If there is any back-sliding it will be on the part of the pupil who sets a lower standard of achievement for himself than did his predecessor. It is my suggestion that, as a parent, you insist upon some home study each night for your child and see that he attends school every day unless sickness interferes.

A look to the more distant future offers real opportunity for long range planning. There is need in Winter Harbor for a new school building; for new courses in home economics, shop work, music, art and the study of vocations; for a new and improved grammar school playground and an athletic field for the high school which is near enough to be useful.

It is my earnest hope that as parents and neighbors you will continue to support your excellent teachers in the same admirable manner you have in the past and particularly the current school year. This evidence of friendliness, of good will, of faith in them as teachers will reap benefits beyond measure to them and to you.

Sincerely yours,

R. H. HASKINS,

Superintendent of Schools.

**FINANCIAL REPORT****Winter Harbor School Department**

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**ELEMENTARY — 36 WEEKS****RESOURCES**

Appropriation .....	\$ 2,900.00	
Balance brought forward .....	33.97	
State School Fund .....	938.12	
Tuition, State .....	161.25	
Conveyance, State (due) .....	75.00	
Refund, H. G. Tucker .....	4.89	
		\$ 4,113.23

**EXPENDITURES**

Teachers .....	\$ 2,849.94	
Janitor and Cleaning .....	324.50	
Conveyance .....	292.12	
Fuel .....	576.33	
Light .....	37.93	
Water .....	20.00	
Balance unexpended .....	12.41	
		\$ 4,113.23

**HIGH SCHOOL — 36 WEEKS****RESOURCES**

Appropriation .....	\$ 3,000.00	
Balance brought forward .....	5.41	
Tuition, Gouldsboro .....	1,180.00	
State School Fund .....	57.95	
		\$ 4,243.36



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## EXPENDITURES

Teachers .....	\$ 3,299.76	
Janitor and Cleaning .....	328.50	
Fuel .....	547.04	
Light .....	43.38	
Water .....	20.00	
Balance unexpended .....	4.68	
		\$ 4,243.36

## TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLIES

## RESOURCES

Appropriation .....	\$ 600.00	
State School Fund .....	56.43	
		\$ 656.43

## EXPENDITURES

Elementary .....	\$ 305.07	
High School .....	349.48	
Balance unexpended .....	1.88	
		\$ 656.43

## LIBRARY AND LABORATORY

## RESOURCES

Appropriation .....	\$ 150.00	
Balance brought forward .....	14.92	
		\$ 164.92

## EXPENDITURES

Library .....	\$ 87.53	
Laboratory .....	75.68	
Balance unexpended .....	1.71	
		\$ 164.92



REPAIRS

RESOURCES

Appropriation .....	\$ 600.00	
		\$ 600.00

EXPENDITURES

Elementary .....	\$ 516.32	
High School .....	22.48	
Balance unexpended .....	61.20	
		\$ 600.00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

RESOURCES

Appropriation .....	\$ 375.00	
		\$ 375.00

EXPENDITURES

R. H. Haskins, salary .....	\$ 320.87	
Office Expense .....	34.55	
Balance .....	19.58	
		\$ 375.00

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

	Re- sources	Expendi- tures	Bal- ance	Over- draft
Elementary	\$ 4,113.23	\$ 4,100.82	\$ 12.41	.....
High School	4,243.36	4,238.68	4.68	.....
Textbooks and Supplies	656.43	654.55	1.88	.....
Library and Laboratory	164.92	163.21	1.71	.....
Repairs	600.00	538.80	61.20	.....
Superintendent of Schools	375.00	355.42	19.58	.....
Totals	\$10,152.94	\$10,051.48	\$101.46	

## RECOMMENDED APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1945 - 1946

Elementary .....	\$ 3,100.00	
High School .....	3,500.00	
Textbooks and Supplies .....	600.00	
Library and Laboratory .....	150.00	
Repairs .....	400.00	
Superintendent of Schools .....	400.00	
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		\$ 8,150.00
Increase over last year .....	\$ 525.00	
State Average School Rate .....		.01620
Winter Harbor School Rate .....		.01156
Below State Average .....		.00464



## REPORT OF NURSING SERVICE

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To the Citizens and Town Officers of Winter Harbor:

I submit the report of the Nursing Service given your town beginning January 1, 1944 and ending December 31, 1944.

In January, the annual winter weighing was done. Conferences were held with teachers and pupils regarding corrections necessary to receive the Seven Point Award offered each year by the Maine Public Health Association to pupils who qualify. The nurse offered help with transportation to secure corrections.

The Early Diagnosis Campaign for the Prevention of Tuberculosis and the Cancer Prevention Program were conducted. Over 1,000 pamphlets were distributed. Each home represented at school was sent a set of Early Diagnosis literature. A window exhibit was set up at the Drug Store.

A special feature in the school program this year was the skin testing for Tuberculosis to be followed by chest X-ray of reactors. Fifty-eight pupils received the test, all were negative.

Dr. McCloskey from the United States Public Health Service, spoke at the High School on Control of Venereal Disease. Routine vaccination against smallpox and diphtheria immunization and Schick testing were offered to the incoming class and new pupils moving into town.

Vaccinated .....	5
Diphtheria Immunized .....	5
Schick Tested .....	1

Vision and hearing tests were completed at the High School.  
Defects found:

Vision .....	3
Hearing .....	3
Corrections .....	8



Field Day was observed again this year; 192 of the grade pupils (from towns included in the Nursing Service) received Seven Point Awards; of 331 pupils enrolled 33 were from Winter Harbor and all three rooms were 50% Seven Point.

The annual infant and preschool clinic was held July 27 at the Defense Center with Dr. McClenohan from Grindstone Inn in attendance assisted by the nurse. Helpful advice and pamphlets were given each mother.

With the opening of school in September, special inspection for skin infection was completed during the first week in the grade building. Sanitary inspection of school buildings and playground equipment was also checked at this time. Annual school inspection was completed in October. Notices of defects were sent to parents or a home visit made. A full report was left with each teacher and superintendent of schools. Routine schoolroom visits have been made to help the teachers with health problems whenever needed.

Number of pupils inspected .....	54
Number of pupils with defective vision .....	2
Number of pupils with defective glands .....	11
Number of pupils with defective throats .....	7
Number of pupils with defective skin .....	1
Number of pupils with defective nerves .....	1
Number of pupils with defective posture .....	1
Number of pupils with defective teeth .....	27

Corrected since last inspection:

Vision .....	2
Throat .....	1
Skin .....	1
Teeth .....	15

Home visits made during the year to 278. Visits of instruction and investigation were made on prenatal patients, babies, preschool, school children, tuberculosis contacts. All chest X-rays for contacts have been provided as recommended by doctor. Transportation has been furnished for 23 children to doctors' offices, dentists, oculists and clinics.

I extend thanks to all who have helped with the success of the Nursing Service with special mention of the cooperation of Dr. Allan Holt, the Selectmen, Members of the School Board, Superintendent of Schools, teachers, and parents.

Respectfully submitted,

Flanders Bay Nursing Service

By: CLYE H. RICKER, R. N.

Public Health Nurse



## WARRANT

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Hancock, ss.

To Philip E. Torrey of Winter Harbor, in the County of Hancock:

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the TOWN OF WINTER HARBOR, qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town Hall, in said Town of Winter Harbor on Monday, March 5, A. D., 1945, at 9 o'clock A. M. to act on the following articles, to wit:—

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To hear the report of the town officers and act thereon.

Art. 4. To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor and fix their compensation.

Art. 5. To choose one member of the Superintending School Committee to serve for three years.

Art. 6. To choose a Constable and fix his compensation.

Art. 7. To choose a Tax Collector and fix his compensation.

Art. 8. To see how taxes shall be collected for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To choose a Town Treasurer and fix his compensation.

Art. 10. To choose a Chief for the Fire Department and fix his compensation.



Art. 11. To choose a Fire Ward for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To choose a Harbor Master.

Art. 13. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for General Government.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$1,200.00.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Town Buildings.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$500.00.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Aid to Dependent Children.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$274.00.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for High School.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$3,500.00.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Common Schools.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$3,100.00.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for repair of School Buildings.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$400.00.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for School Text Books and Supplies.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$600.00.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for High School Library.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$75.00.

Art. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for High School Laboratory.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$75.00.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Superintendent of Schools.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$400.00.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Town Highways and Bridges.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$300.00.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Removal of Snow.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$600.00.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Street Lights.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$1,150.00.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Public Library.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$200.00.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Sidewalks.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$300.00.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for cutting bushes.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$150.00.



Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Insurance.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$750.00.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Hydrant Rental.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$650.00.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Fire Department.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$300.00.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Public Health Nurse.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$400.00.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Highway Patrol.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$325.00.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Winter Harbor Cemetery Association.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$300.00.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay interest on obligations of the town.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$500.00.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Boy Scout Building.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$25.00.

Art. 38. To see if the town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for State Aid Road Construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under provision of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930 or under the provision of Chapter 213, Public Laws of 1931.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of not less than \$116.00 for the maintenance of improved section of Third Class Roads to be used in conjunction with the State Apportionment of Construction of Third Class Roads.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$116.00.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$500.00 for payment of note on Fire Apparatus due in 1945.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$500.00.

Art. 41. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Advertising our Natural Resources.

Recommended by the Budget Committee, \$50.00.

Art. 42. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for payment of town notes.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to deduct twenty-five per cent from the money due any person whose taxes are in arrears until such taxes are paid.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the town to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 45. To see what action the town will take relative to removing snow from the streets.



Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make a temporary loan or loans not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$10,000.00 in anticipation of and to be paid out of current taxes for the municipal year of 1945.

Art. 47. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to issue the town's negotiable notes or bonds in the sum not exceeding \$9,600.00 for the purpose of renewing, refunding or paying certain notes of the town now due or to become due during the municipal year of 1945, to wit:—

Bar Harbor Banking & Trust Co. ....	\$1,500.00
W. H. Sargent .....	4,000.00
First National Bank of Bar Harbor .....	3,100.00
Minnie I. Sargent .....	1,000.00

Art. 48. To see what action the town will take relative to providing a street light at the foot bridge near Percy Merchant's residence.

Art. 49. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the property known as Dunton Property.

Art. 50. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the property acquired from Simeon Sargent.

Art. 51. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the real estate at the rear of Morrison's Garage.

Art. 52. To choose ten members to serve on the Budget Committee with the town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 53. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising the list of voters at the Town Hall at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Winter Harbor this fifteenth day of February, 1945.

PHILIP A. WHITEHOUSE

MORTON L. TORREY

GILBERT E. GERRISH

Selectmen of Winter Harbor